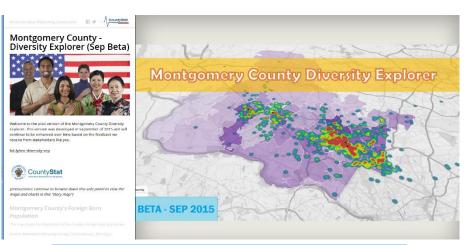# MONTGOMERY COUNTY DIVERSITY EXPLORER (BETA)

HIGHLIGHTS

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data-driven performance ▪ strategic governance ▪ government transparency ▪ culture of accountability

ORIGINS

- In 2014, the Gilchrist Center used a data-driven, evidence-based approach to assess continued opportunities for servicing the immigrant population.
- Gilchrist partnered with CountyStat to compile the necessary information base and analytics on the County's immigrant community and rising diversity.
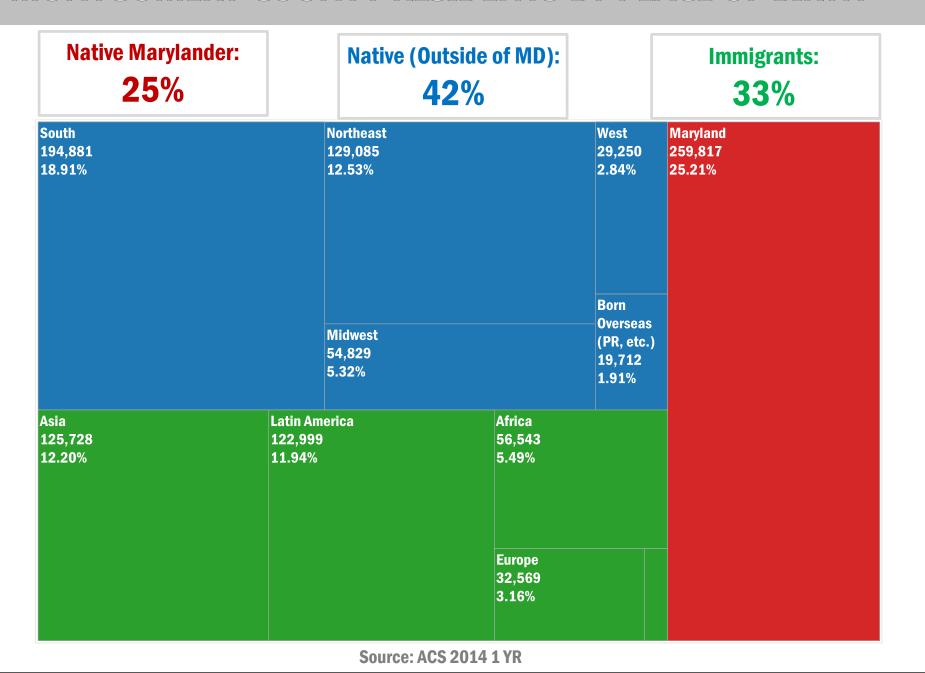
ACTING IN PARTNERSHIP

- The County's robust open data and online platforms make it easy to share these data-driven tools with a broad range of partners.
- CountyStat has continued to evolve this information base through feedback and contributions from a number of internal and external partners (MCPL, MCAEL, CEC, RSCs, etc.).

NEXT STEPS

- Census released the 2014 (5YR) American Community Survey data on December 3.
- CountyStat will update the Diversity Explorer with this new data, while also incorporating all of the lessons learned over this past year.
- CountyStat will also release the data as interactive dashboards on the County's OpenPerformance platform.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY RESIDENTS BY PLACE OF BIRTH

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Performance Measurement and Management

Native Marylander:
25%

Native (Outside of MD):
42%

Immigrants:
33%

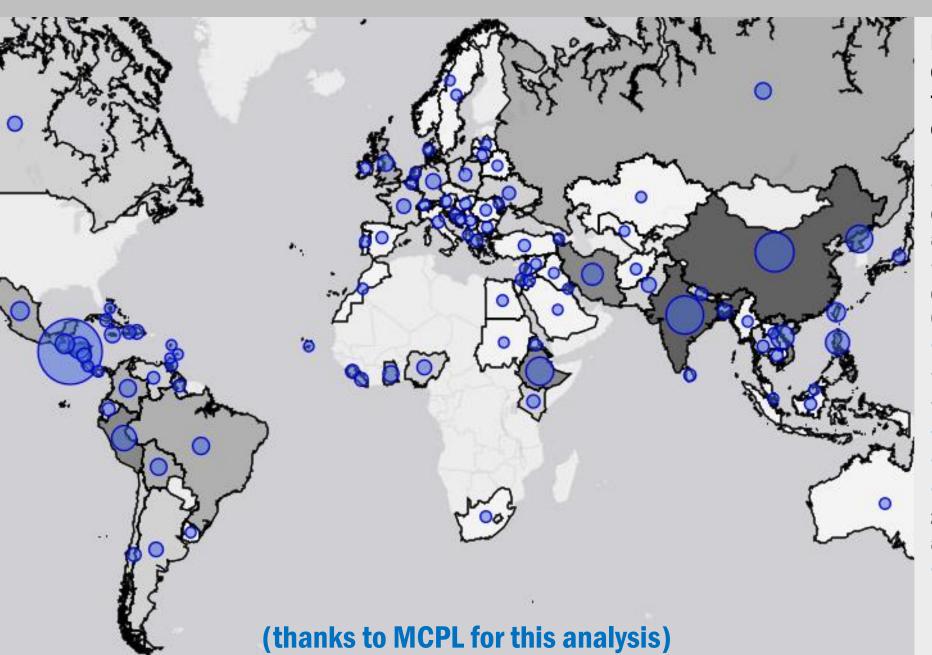|		
South 194,881 18.91%	**Northeast** 129,085 12.53%	**West** 29,250 2.84%
	Midwest 54,829 5.32%	**Born Overseas (PR, etc.)** 19,712 1.91%
Asia 125,728 12.20%	**Latin America** 122,999 11.94%	**Africa** 56,543 5.49%
		Europe 32,569 3.16%

Maryland 259,817 25.21%

Montgomery County has among the lowest rates of residents who were born in-state (25% vs. national county average of 67%). In fact, among Counties with more than 500,000 residents, Montgomery County is **#2 or 3** nationwide, in a virtual tie with Prince George's (Clark County, Nevada is #1).

Montgomery County makes up for this low percentage by having among the highest rates of immigration in the country (33% vs. national county average of 5%), ranking **#7** among Counties with more than 1 million residents (and 20th overall).

The County's share of residents who were born in a different state is also among the highest (42% vs. national county average of 27%), ranking **#4** in a virtual tie with Fairfax County among all Counties with more than 1 million residents.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY IMMIGRANTS BY PLACE OF BIRTH

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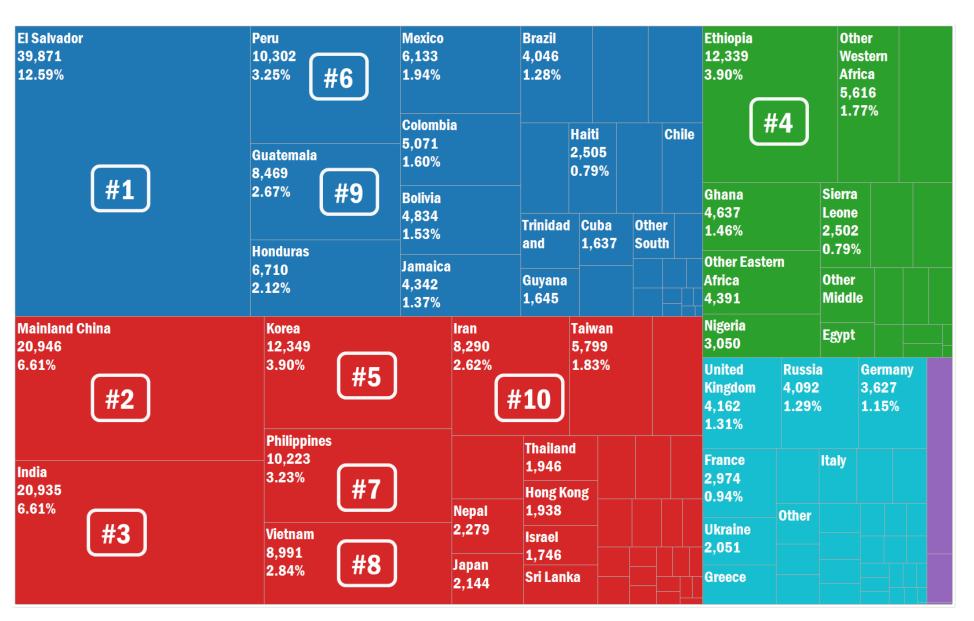Performance Measurement and Management

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(thanks to MCPL for this analysis)

MONTGOMERY COUNTY RESIDENTS BY PLACE OF BIRTH

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El Salvador
39,871
12.59%
#1

Peru
10,302
3.25%
#6

Guatemala
8,469
2.67%
#9

Honduras
6,710
2.12%

Mexico
6,133
1.94%

Colombia
5,071
1.60%

Bolivia
4,834
1.53%

Jamaica
4,342
1.37%

Brazil
4,046
1.28%

Haiti
2,505
0.79%

Chile

Trinidad and

Cuba
1,637

Other South

Guyana
1,645

Ethiopia
12,339
3.90%
#4

Other Western Africa
5,616
1.77%

Ghana
4,637
1.46%

Sierra Leone
2,502
0.79%

Other Eastern Africa
4,391

Other Middle

Nigeria
3,050

Egypt

Mainland China
20,946
6.61%
#2

Korea
12,349
3.90%
#5

Iran
8,290
2.62%

Taiwan
5,799
1.83%
#10

India
20,935
6.61%
#3

Philippines
10,223
3.23%
#7

Thailand
1,946

Hong Kong
1,938

Nepal
2,279

Vietnam
8,991
2.84%
#8

Japan
2,144

Israel
1,746

Sri Lanka

United Kingdom
4,162
1.31%

Russia
4,092
1.29%

Germany
3,627
1.15%

France
2,974
0.94%

Italy

Ukraine
2,051

Other

Greece

Latin America:
37%

Asia:
37%

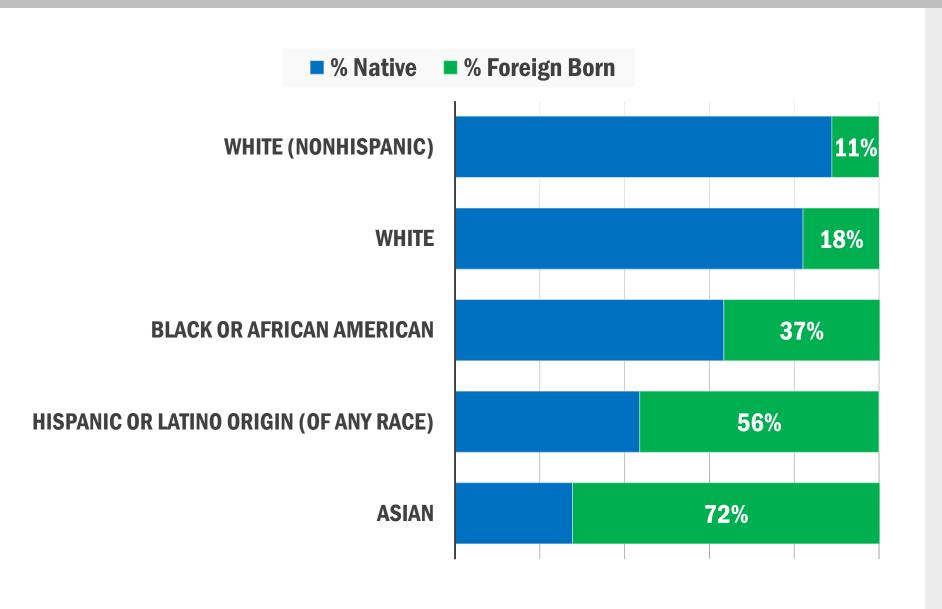**Africa:**
15%

Europe:
10%

Other:
1%

Note that Latin America and Asia are equally well represented. The #1-3 source of immigrants—El Salvador, China, and India—still only account for 26% of the total, demonstrating the diversity of national origins in the County.

Source: ACS 2013 1 YR

PERCENT OF RESIDENTS WHO ARE IMMIGRANTS BY RACE

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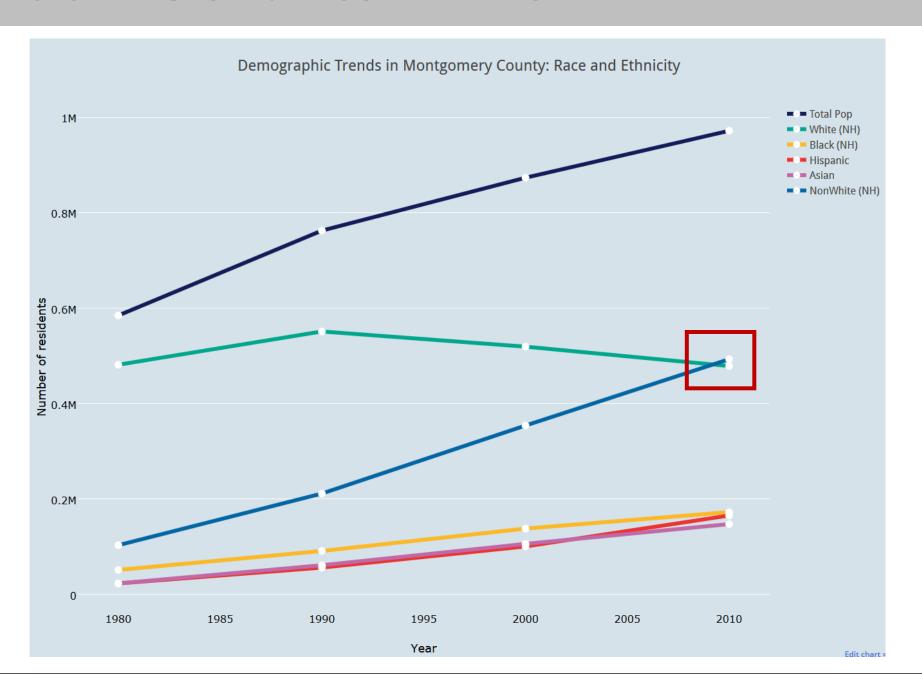Performance Measurement and Management

Immigration has driven the tremendous growth in diversity in Montgomery County. Note that many of the County's black or African American population were also born oversees.

Legend: ■ % Native ■ % Foreign Born

Race	% Foreign Born
WHITE (NONHISPANIC)	11%
WHITE	18%
BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN	37%
HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN (OF ANY RACE)	56%
ASIAN	72%

Source: ACS 2014 1YR

2010 MILESTONE: MAJORITY MINORITY

Demographic Trends in Montgomery County: Race and Ethnicity

Legend:
- Total Pop
- White (NH)
- Black (NH)
- Hispanic
- Asian
- NonWhite (NH)

Y-axis: Number of residents (0, 0.2M, 0.4M, 0.6M, 0.8M, 1M)
X-axis: Year (1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010)

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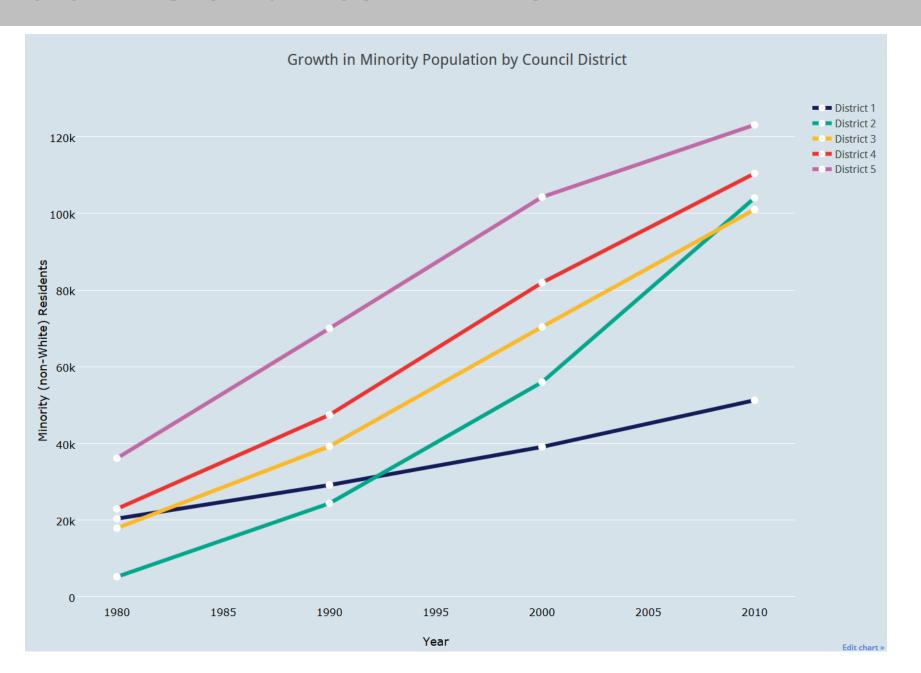
The County's rapid growth in diversity reached an important milestone by the time of the 2010 Census, when Montgomery County for the first time reached "majority-minority" status.

Note that the County's robust overall population growth has occurred despite a decrease in the White (non-Hispanic) population.

Growth in Minority Population by Council District

This rise in diversity is witnessed in every Council District, but with particularly rapid growth in some.

Note, for instance, the exponential growth in District 2 (Up-County), which went from fewer than 10,000 minority residents in 1980 to over 100,000 by 2010.
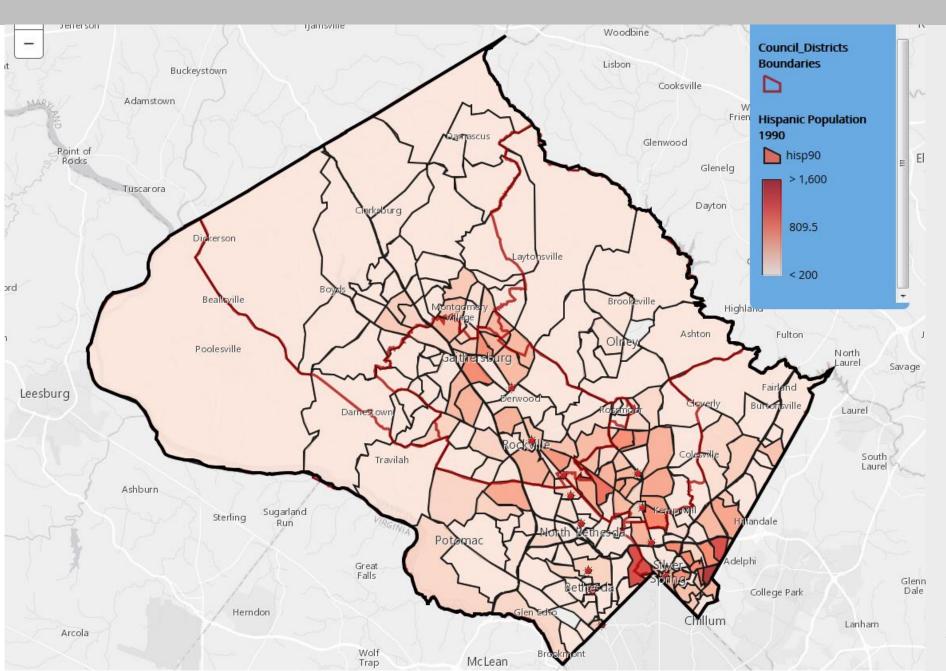
Using Census data (processed by Brown University), we can step back in time to examine the rapid growth in population within specific communities. This map shows the County's past Hispanic population.

1980

Source:
US Census (via Brown Univ S4) & ArcGIS.com

1990

Source:
US Census (via Brown Univ S4) & ArcGIS.com

Council_Districts Boundaries

Hispanic Population 2000

hisp00

> 1,600

800.5

< 200

2000

Source:
US Census (via Brown Univ S4) & ArcGIS.com

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Council_Districts
Boundaries

Hispanic Population
2010

hisp10

> 1,600

834.5

< 200

2010

Source:
US Census (via Brown Univ S4) & ArcGIS.com

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Growth in Top 3 Asian Ethnicities

Legend:
- Indian Residents
- Chinese Residents
- Korean Residents

Y-axis: Number of Residents (0, 5k, 10k, 15k, 20k, 25k, 30k, 35k, 40k, 45k)
X-axis: Year (1970, 1975, 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010)

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The number of Asian residents has also grown at a very rapid pace. This chart shows the increase in residents who are of Indian, Chinese, and Korean ethnicity.

Source: US Census (via Brown Univ S4)

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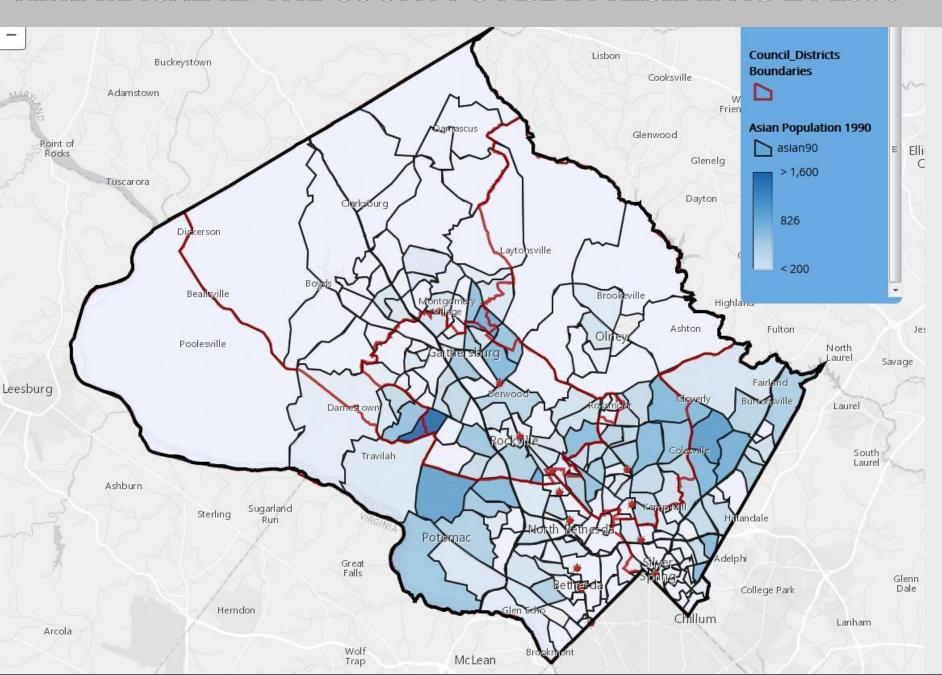
The growth in the County's Asian residents started in about 1980 from a very low base.

1980

TIME MACHINE: THE COUNTY'S ASIAN RESIDENTS IN 1990

1990

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US Census (via Brown Univ S4) & ArcGIS.com
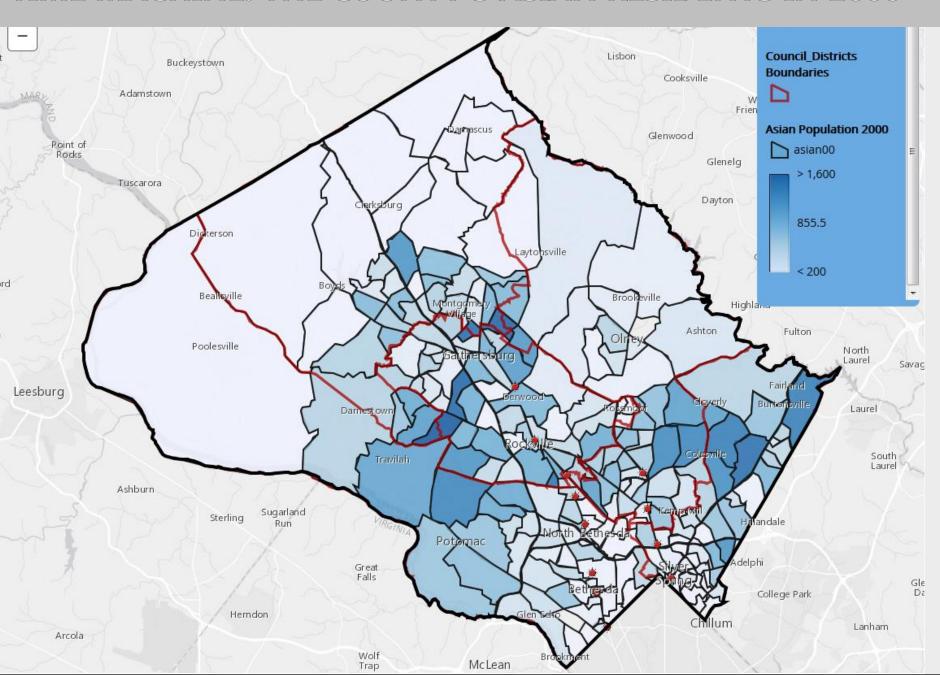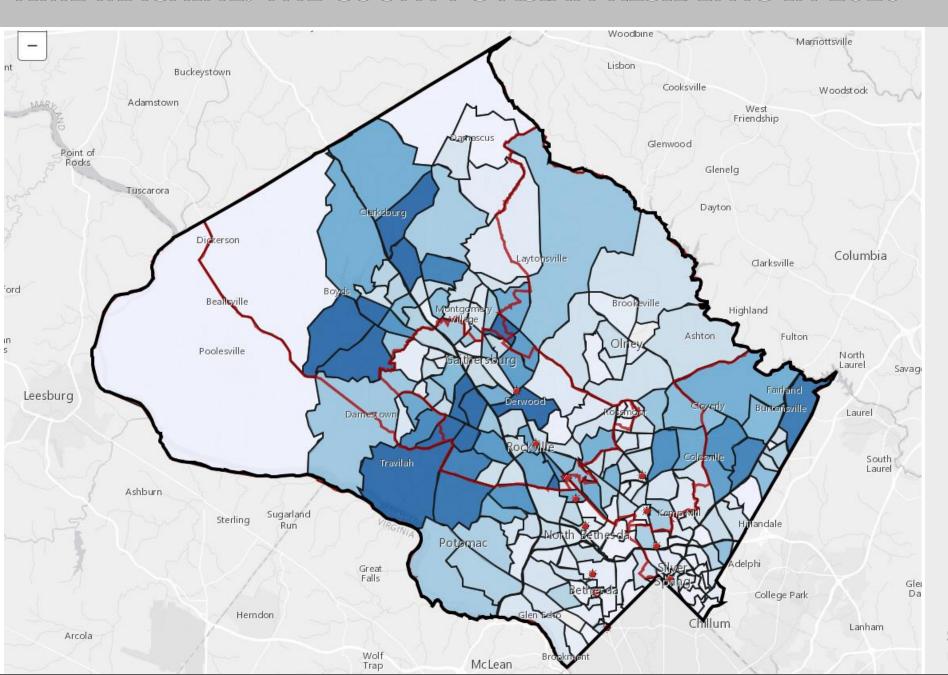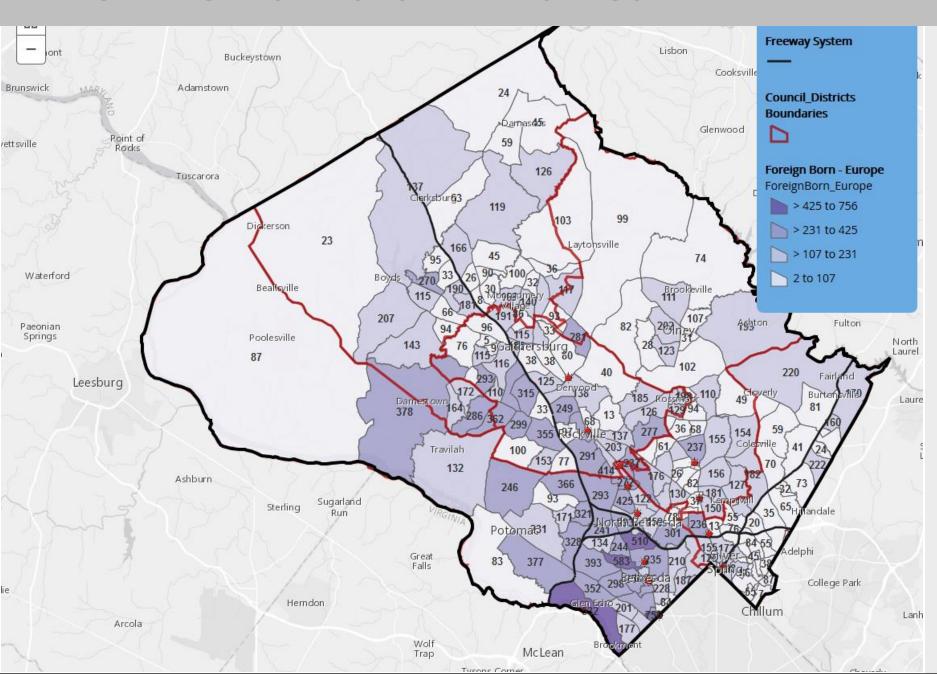
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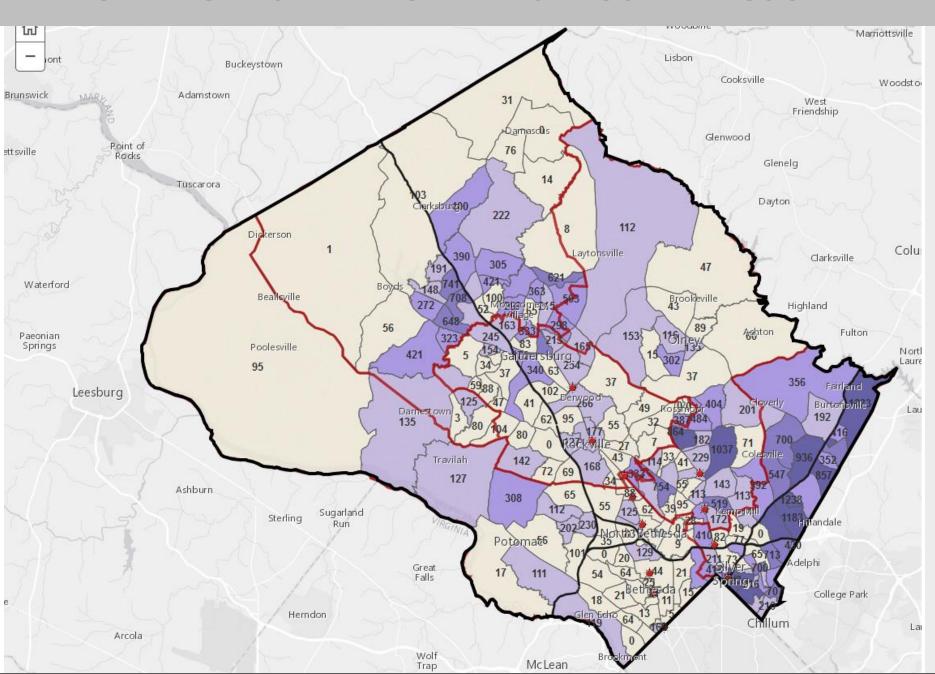
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IMMIGRANTS FROM AFRICA IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

The County has one of the highest rates of African immigration, with a strong presence in East County.
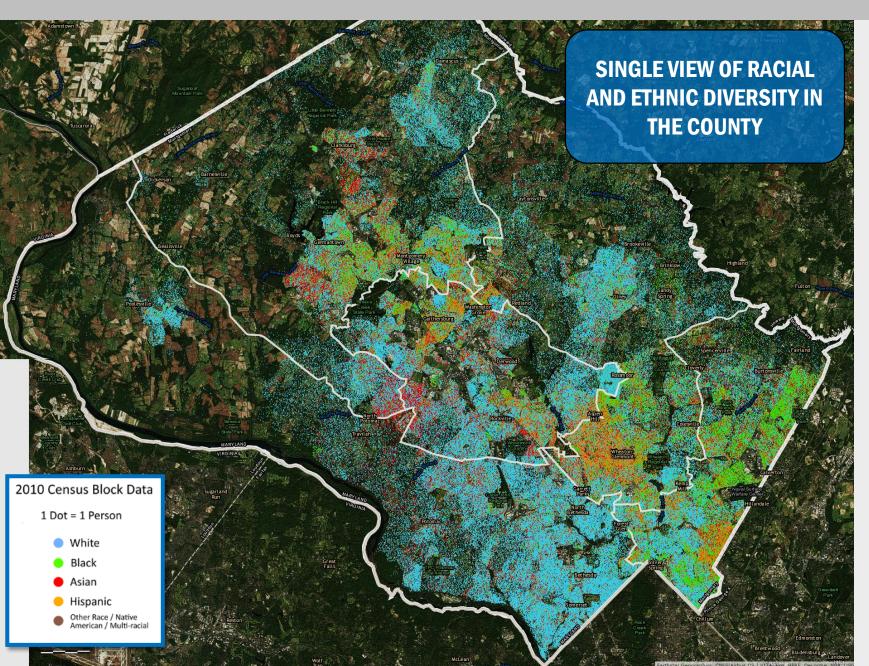
Source: ACS 2013 (5YR)

Many of the County's European immigrants reside in District 1 (i.e. Bethesda-Chevy Chase).

Source: ACS 2013 (5YR)

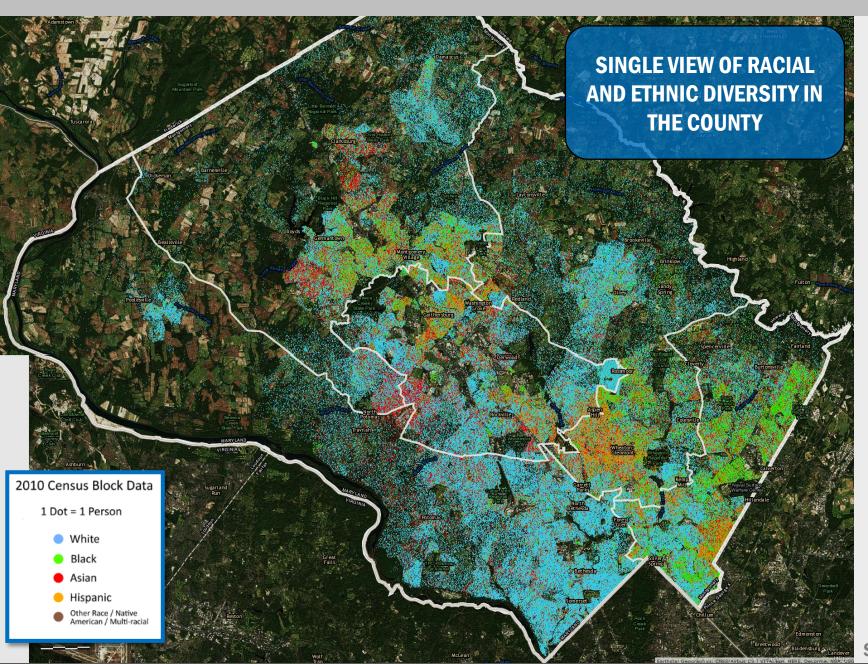# DIVERSITY "DOT MAP": EVERY DOT IS A COUNTY RESIDENT

SINGLE VIEW OF RACIAL AND ETHNIC DIVERSITY IN THE COUNTY

DTS has created a "dot map," which maps out a dot for every single resident in the County. In this map, the color of the dot corresponds to the resident's race and ethnicity (for instance, white residents are blue whereas Hispanic residents are orange). This data is based on Census block data from the 2010 Census.

While different ethnicities congregate in different parts of the County, the "dot map" for Montgomery County is far less polarized than it is for many other places (ex: Baltimore, Chicago, etc.). This high degree of integration is particularly strong in Up-County (Gaithersburg, Germantown, etc.) as well as in places like Glenmont.
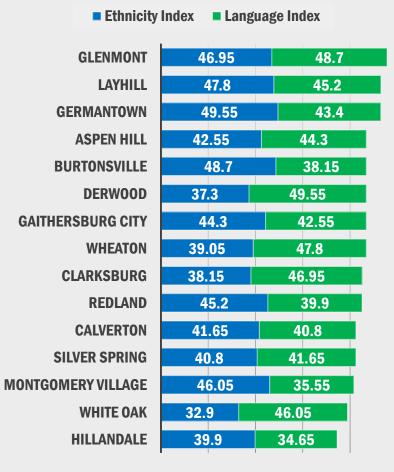
2010 Census Block Data

1 Dot = 1 Person

- White
- Black
- Asian
- Hispanic
- Other Race / Native American / Multi-racial

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SINGLE VIEW OF RACIAL AND ETHNIC DIVERSITY IN THE COUNTY

Using this data, CountyStat calculated a preliminary "diversity index" based on Language and Ethnicity by place:

Diversity Index (Lang and Ethnicity): Top 15

■ **Ethnicity Index**   ■ **Language Index**

Place	Ethnicity Index	Language Index
GLENMONT	46.95	48.7
LAYHILL	47.8	45.2
GERMANTOWN	49.55	43.4
ASPEN HILL	42.55	44.3
BURTONSVILLE	48.7	38.15
DERWOOD	37.3	49.55
GAITHERSBURG CITY	44.3	42.55
WHEATON	39.05	47.8
CLARKSBURG	38.15	46.95
REDLAND	45.2	39.9
CALVERTON	41.65	40.8
SILVER SPRING	40.8	41.65
MONTGOMERY VILLAGE	46.05	35.55
WHITE OAK	32.9	46.05
HILLANDALE	39.9	34.65

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Source: CountyStat calculation based on ACS 2013 (5YR)

SAMPLE: ZOOMING IN ON DOWNTOWN ROCKVILLE

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2010 Census Block Data

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SAMPLE TOP SCORING CENSUS TRACT (GAITHERSBURG)

Source: CountyStat calculation based on ACS 2013 (5YR)

LEGEND

Second Language
- Spanish
- Chinese
- English (Spanish 1st)
- African Languages
- Below 100
- French
- Persian
- German
- Korean
- Greek
- Russian
- Others

The County's diversity translate into a rich range of foreign languages that are spoken in the homes of our residents.

This map shows the "second most" spoken language at home (i.e. after English) by Census tract.

Note that Spanish is actually the most common spoken language in the very dark red tracts (where English is #2).

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Language at Home	MC Share of State
Armenian	78%
Persian	73%
Chinese	58%
Portuguese	56%
Vietnamese	51%
Hindi	43%
Thai	42%
French	40%
Any Foreign Language	**39%**
African languages	39%
Spanish or Spanish Creole	38%
Korean	37%
Russian	36%
Japanese	32%
Arabic	31%
Any Language	**17%**
Speak only English	12%

Country of Origin	MC Share of State
Asia	43%
Foreign-born Residents	**39%**
Africa	38%
Europe	38%
Latin America	36%
General Population	**17%**
Afghanistan	78%
Bolivia	77%
Peru	72%
Iran	71%
Ethiopia	70%
Venezuela	68%
Sri Lanka	66%
France	63%
Argentina	62%
Colombia	62%
Israel	61%
China	57%
Brazil	53%
India	41%
El Salvador	40%
Pakistan	28%
Philippines	26%
Guatemala	23%
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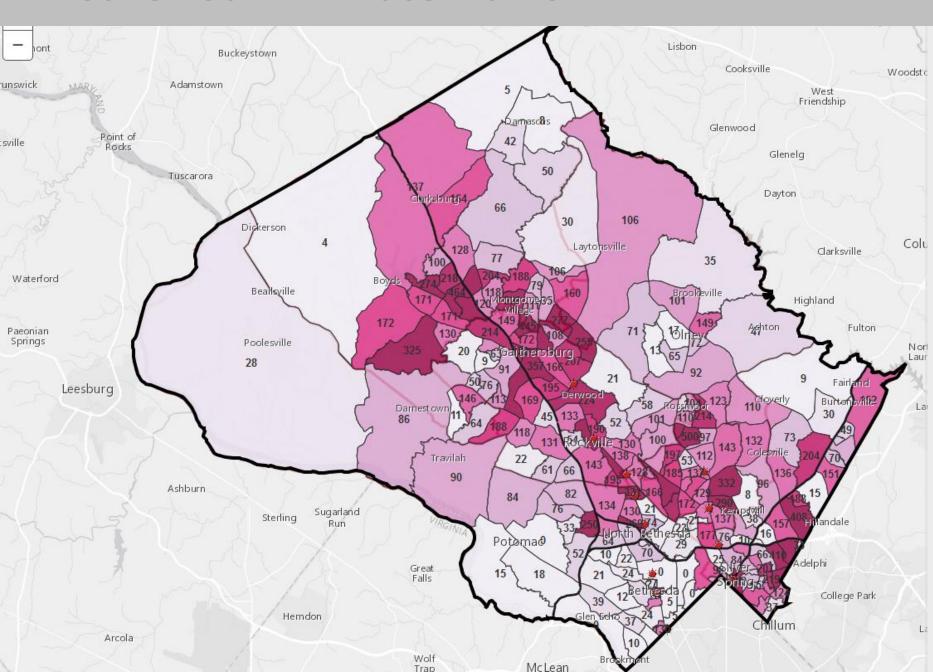The County makes up a large share of the State of Maryland's foreign-language speakers and immigrant community.

The County also ranks in the Top 15 nationally for the number of foreign language speakers in the following languages:

NATIONAL RANK	LANGUAGE
#4	French; African Languages
#9	Persian
#13	Korean; Armenian
#14	Greek; Thai; Hebrew
#15	Chinese

Source: CountyStat calculation based on ACS 2012 (5YR)

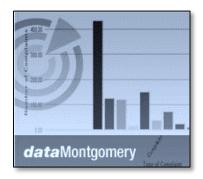Source: ACS 2013 (5YR)

LANGUAGE ISOLATED HOUSEHOLDS

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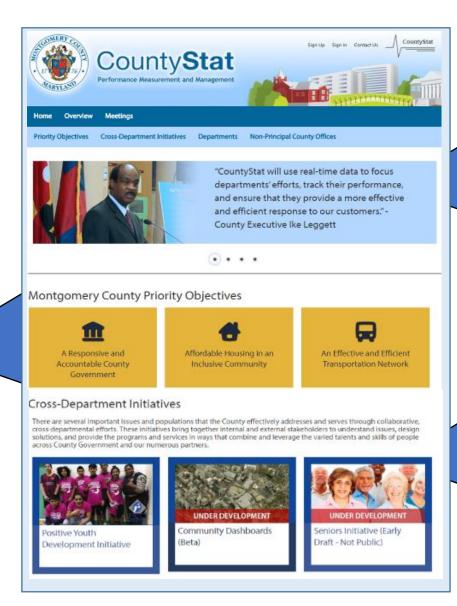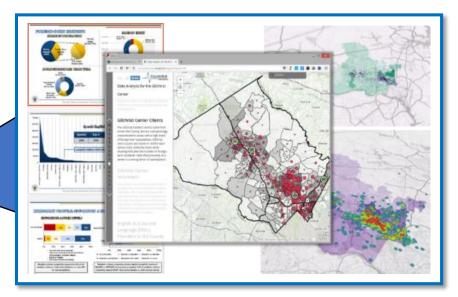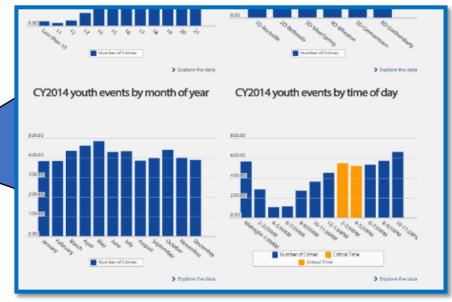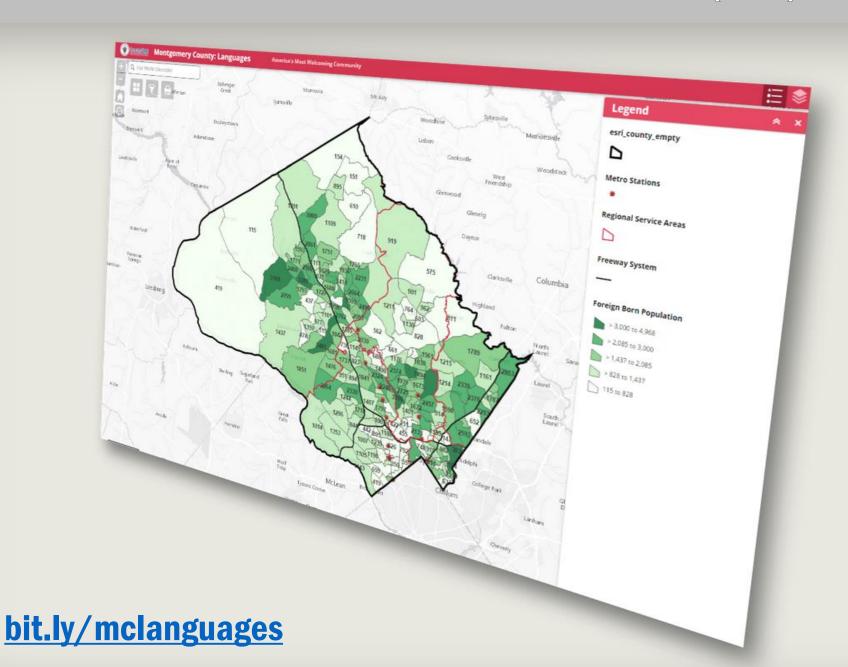
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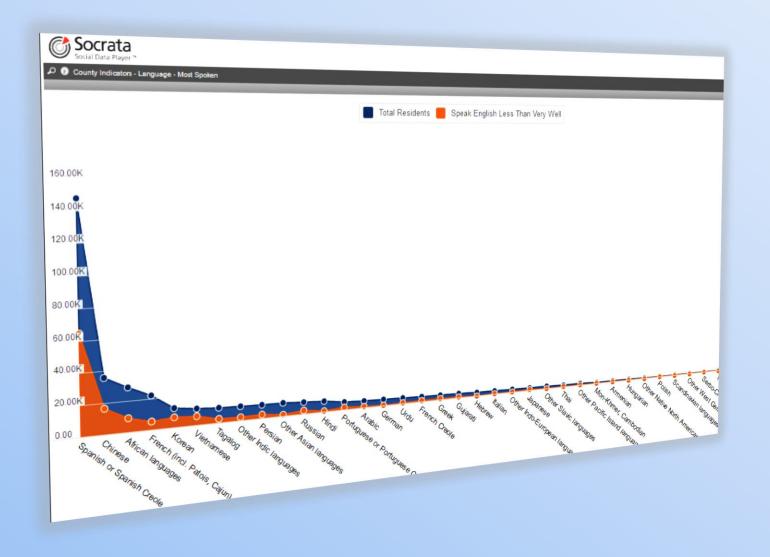
montgomerycountymd.gov/countystat/initiative/community

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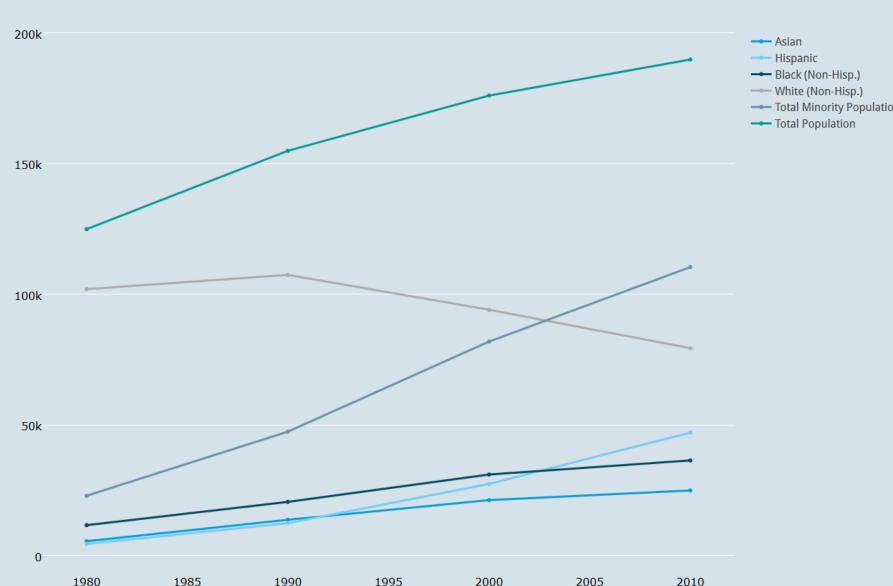
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APPENDIX:
TOP 5 LANGUAGES

America's Most Welcoming Community

Montgomery County - Diversity Explorer (Sep Beta)

Top 5 Languages: 2. Chinese

Chinese is the second most spoken foreign language, with close to 35,000 speakers (roughly 4% of all County residents). Note, however, that Census does not break this language group down into the distinct spoken Chinese languages (Mandarin, Cantonese, Minan/Taiwanese, Hakka, etc.). The Chinese written language is also divided into Simplified and Traditional.

Top 5 Languages: 3. African Languages

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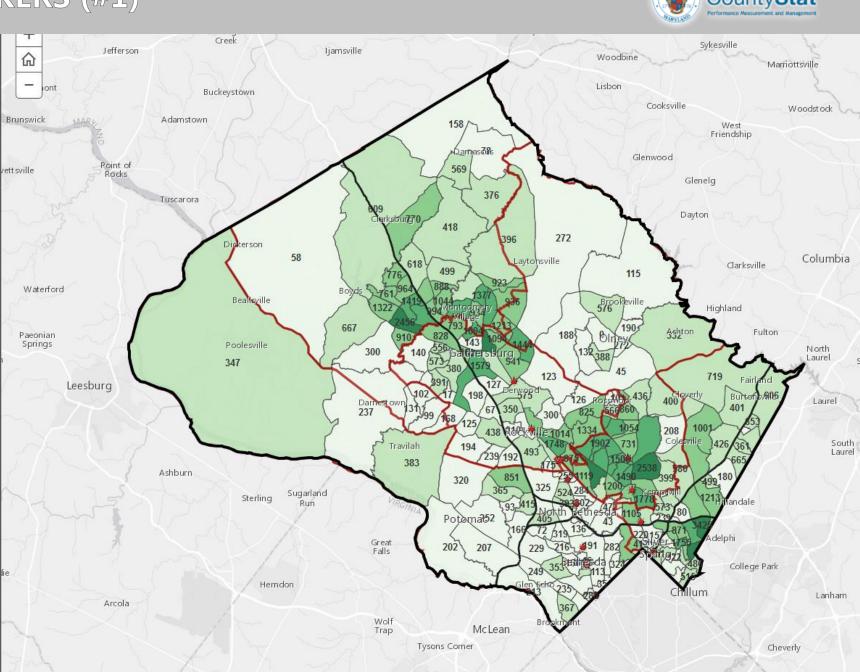
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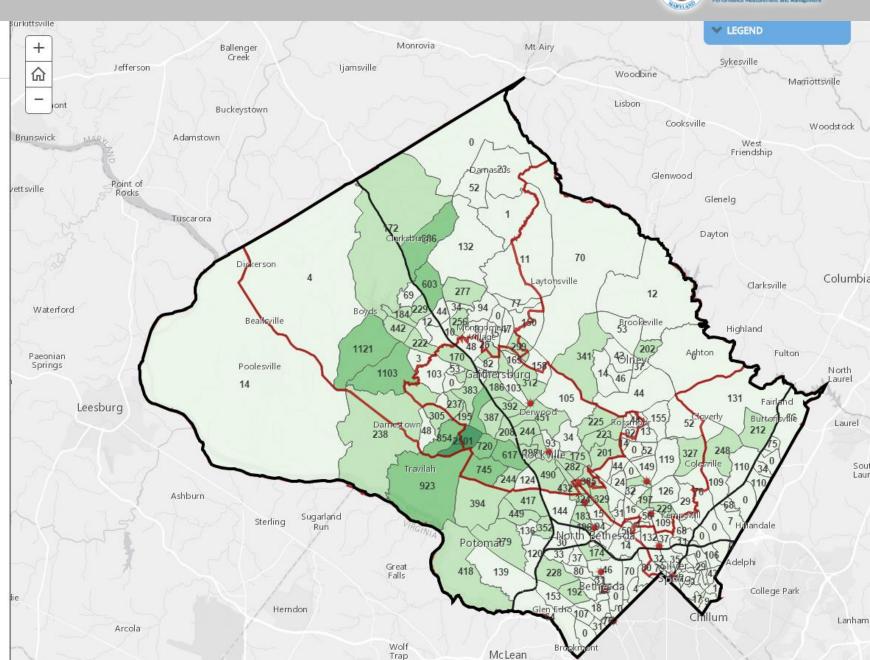
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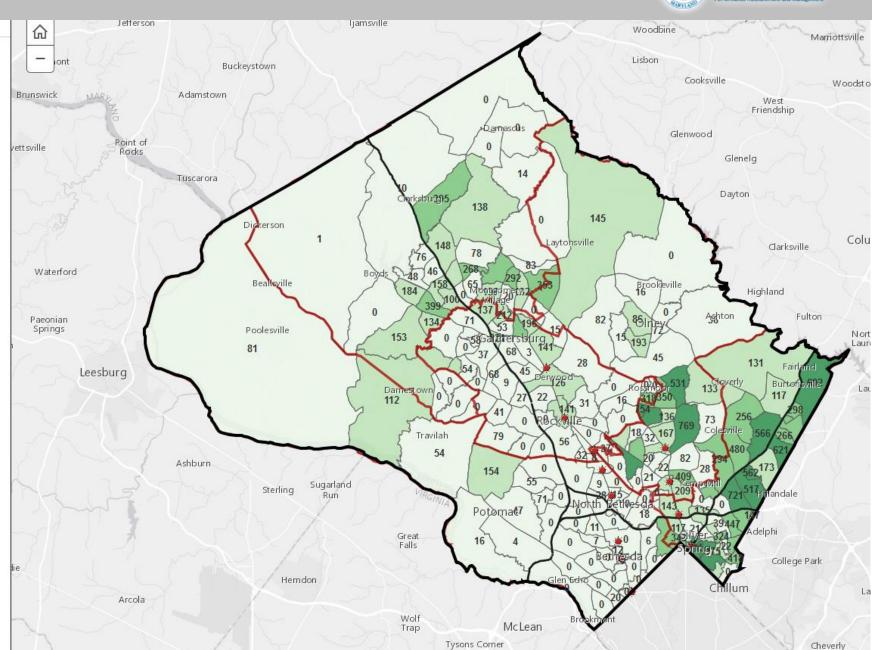
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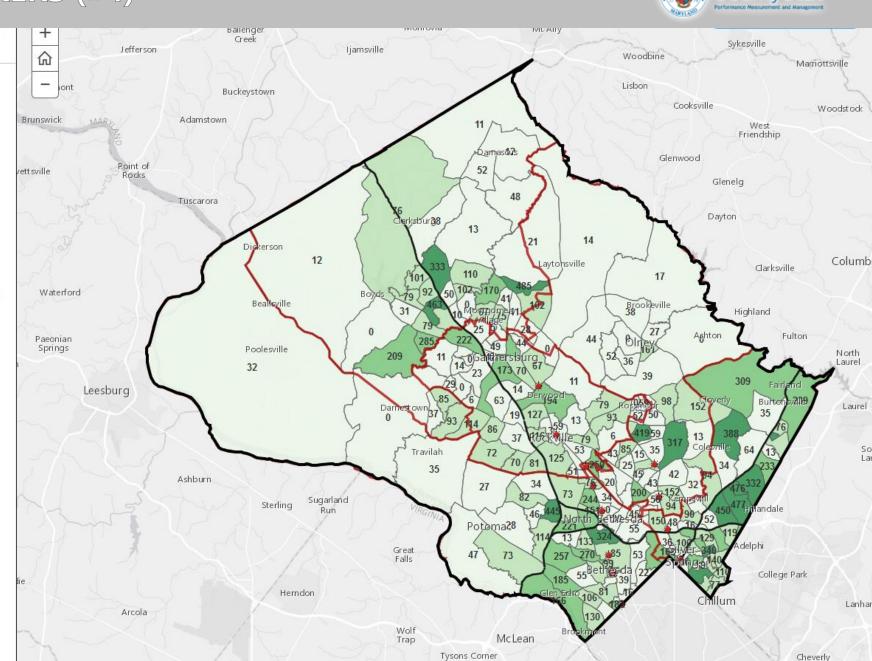
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Montgomery County's Foreign Born Population

This map shows the distribution of the County's foreign-born population.

Source: American Community Survey, Census Bureau, 2013 (3yr)

Countries of Origin

The larger the circle (and darker the shade), the more residents from Montgomery County originate from that location. Montgomery County is a Top 10 destination for immigrants from the following countries (despite ranking only 42nd in population overall):

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Chart: The County's Immigrant Community

33% of the County's residents were born outside the United States.

Between 1990-2010, immigrants accounted for at least 80% of the County's net increase in population.

Top 20 Countries of Origin

Statistics suggest that roughly 1 out of every 200 people born in El Salvador today resides in Montgomery County!

APPENDIX: STATISTICS BY COUNCIL DISTRICT

America's Most Welcoming Community

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Demographics: District 1

District 1 is the only district with a White majority population -- and is the only district that has not seen a drop in the number of White residents.

Languages: District 1

Spanish is the most common language by far, followed by Chinese, French, and Persian.

Demographics: District 2

District 2 has seen the largest increase in population, despite a drop in the number of White residents.

Languages: District 2

Spanish is by far the most commonly spoken foreign language at home, followed by Chinese.

Demographics: District 3

District 3 is the only district that has more Asian residents than Hispanic or Black or African American.

Languages: District 3

Spanish is the most popular foreign language spoken at home, followed by Chinese.

Demographics: District 4

District 4 has seen the sharpest drop in the number of White residents. Hispanic residents are the largest minority group in the district.

Languages: District 4

Spanish is by far the most popular foreign language spoken at home, followed by African languages.

1-15
16-30

46-49

Demographic Changes by County Council District - Berliner

- Asian
- Hispanic
- Black (Non-Hisp.)
- White (Non-Hisp.)
- Total Minority Population
- Total Population

200k

150k

100k

50k

0

1980   1985   1990   1995   2000   2005   2010

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District 2 has seen the largest increase in population, despite a drop in the number of White residents.

Languages: District 2

Spanish is by far the most commonly spoken foreign language at home, followed by Chinese.

Demographics: District 3

District 3 is the only district that has more Asian residents than Hispanic or Black or African American.

Languages: District 3

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Demographics: District 4

District 4 has seen the sharpest drop in the number of White residents. Hispanic residents are the largest minority group in the district.

Languages: District 4

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Demographics: District 5

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District 1 - Berliner: Foreign Languages Spoken at Home

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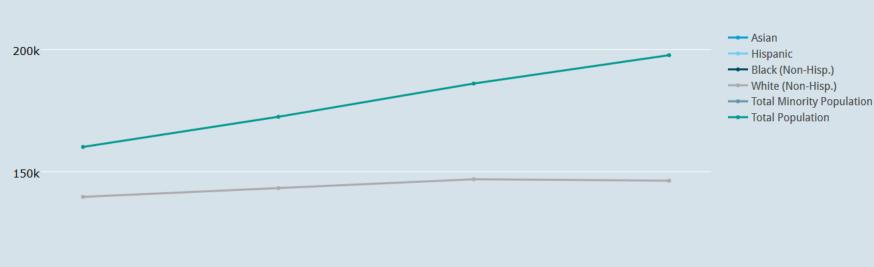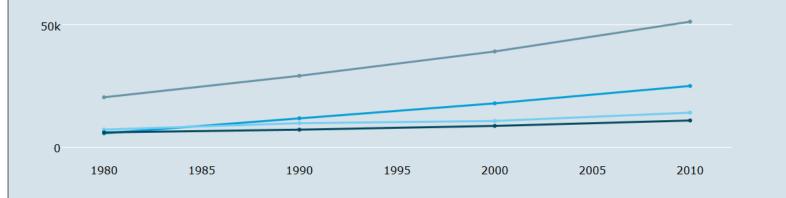
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Languages: District 5

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Demographic Changes by County Council District - Rice

Legend:
- Asian
- Hispanic
- Black (Non-Hisp.)
- White (Non-Hisp.)
- Total Minority Population
- Total Population

Y-axis: 0, 50k, 100k, 150k
X-axis: 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010

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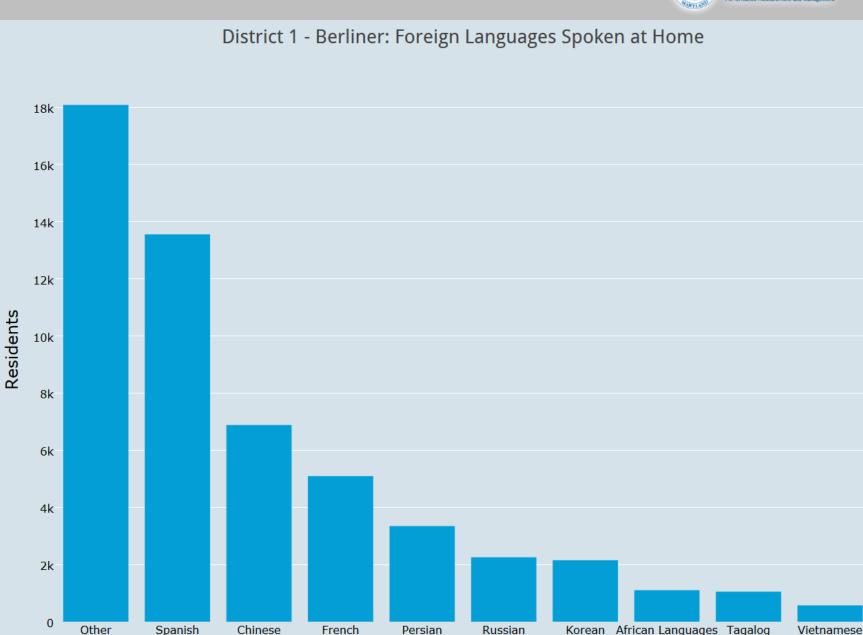
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Languages: District 5

Spanish is the most popular foreign language spoken at home, followed by African Languages and French.

Top 5 Languages: 1. Spanish

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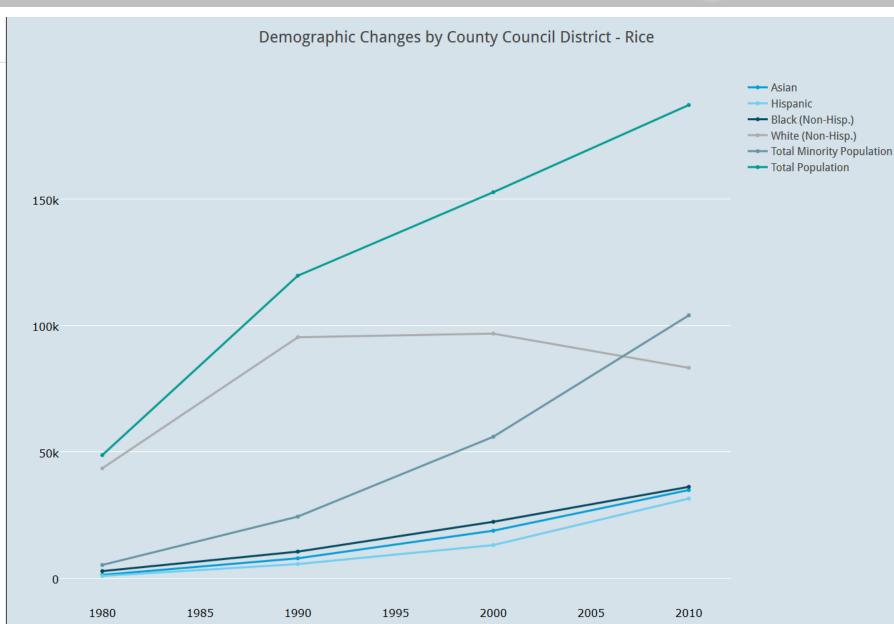
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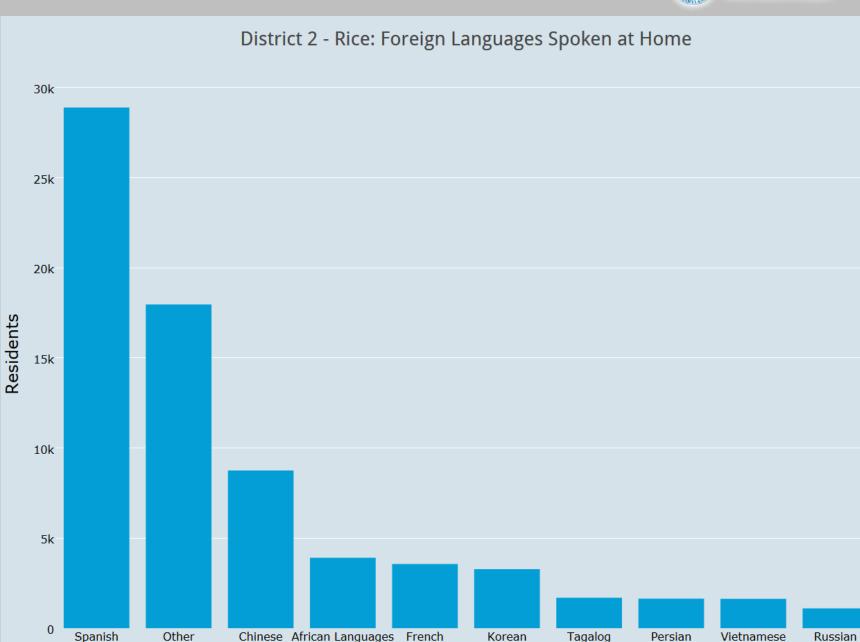
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Top 5 Languages: 1. Spanish

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Top 5 Languages: 2. Chinese

Demographic Changes by County Council District - Katz

- Asian
- Hispanic
- Black (Non-Hisp.)
- White (Non-Hisp.)
- Total Minority Population
- Total Population

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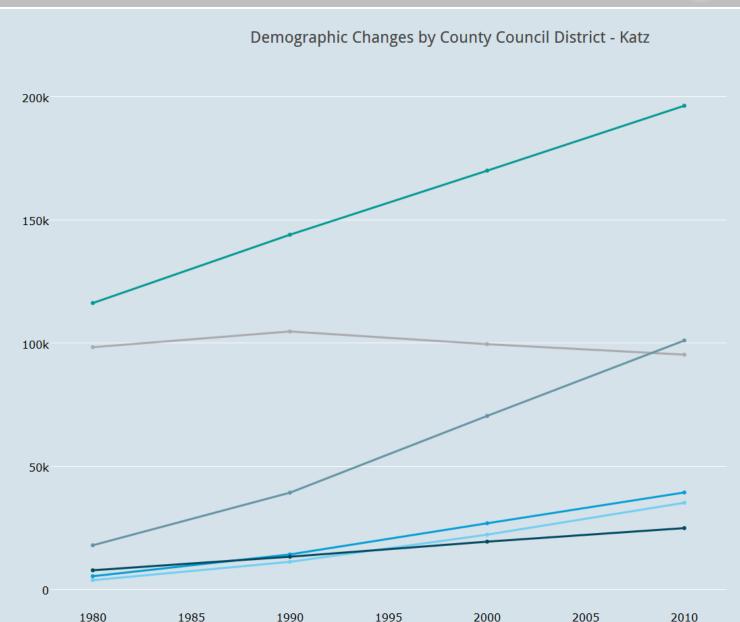
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District 3 - Katz: Foreign Languages Spoken at Home

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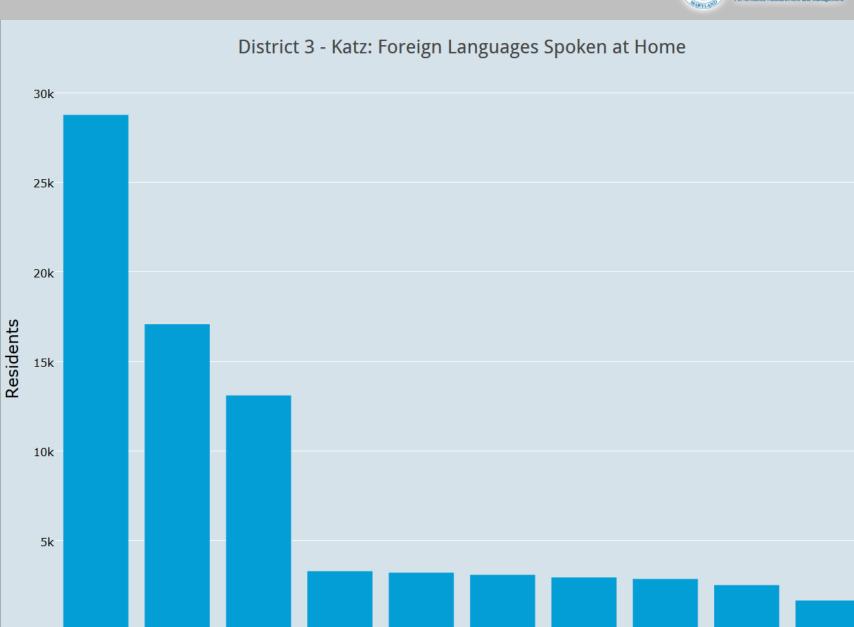
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Top 5 Languages: 3. African Languages

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Demographic Changes by County Council District - Navarro

Legend:
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- Hispanic
- Black (Non-Hisp.)
- White (Non-Hisp.)
- Total Minority Population
- Total Population

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Top 5 Languages: 4. French

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District 4 - Navarro: Foreign Languages Spoken at Home

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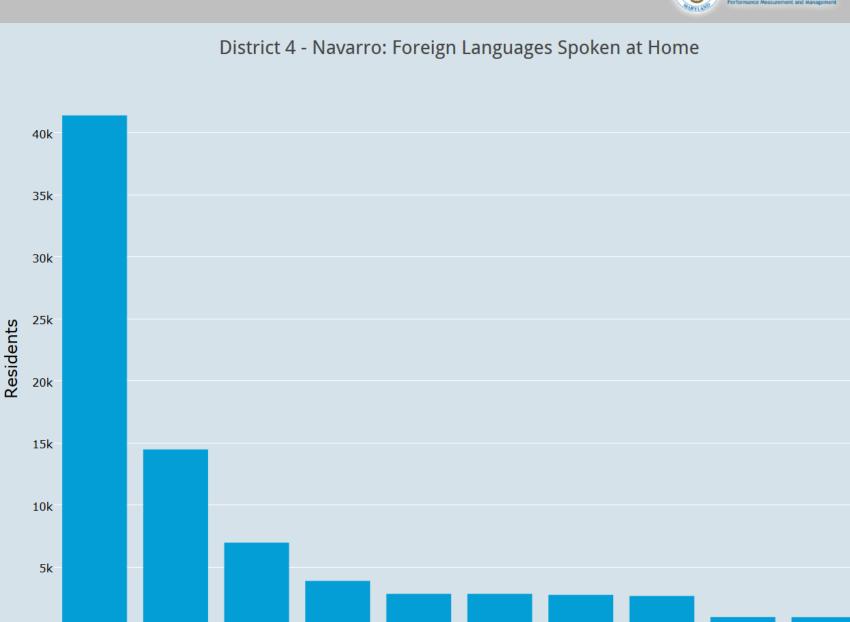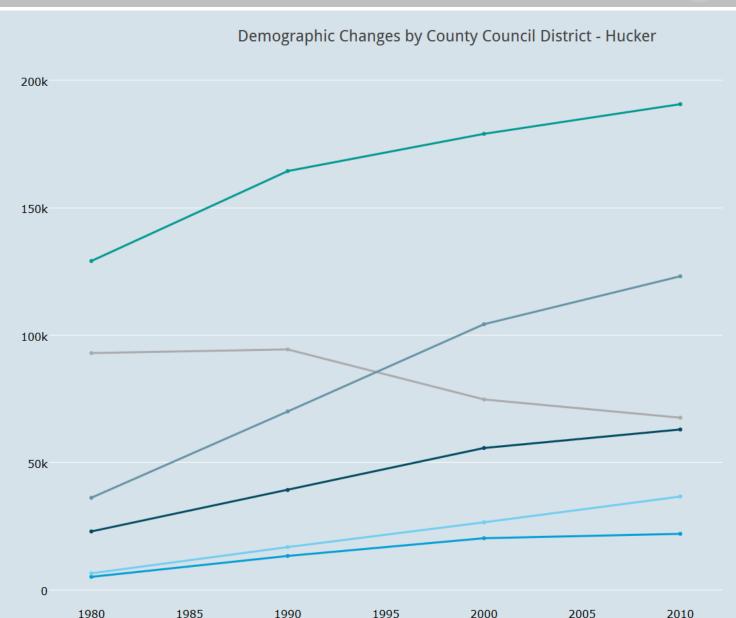
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Top 5 Languages: 4. French

French is the fourth most common language after English, spoken by about 22,000 residents (equal to more than 2% of the County's overall population).

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Demographic Changes by County Council District - Hucker

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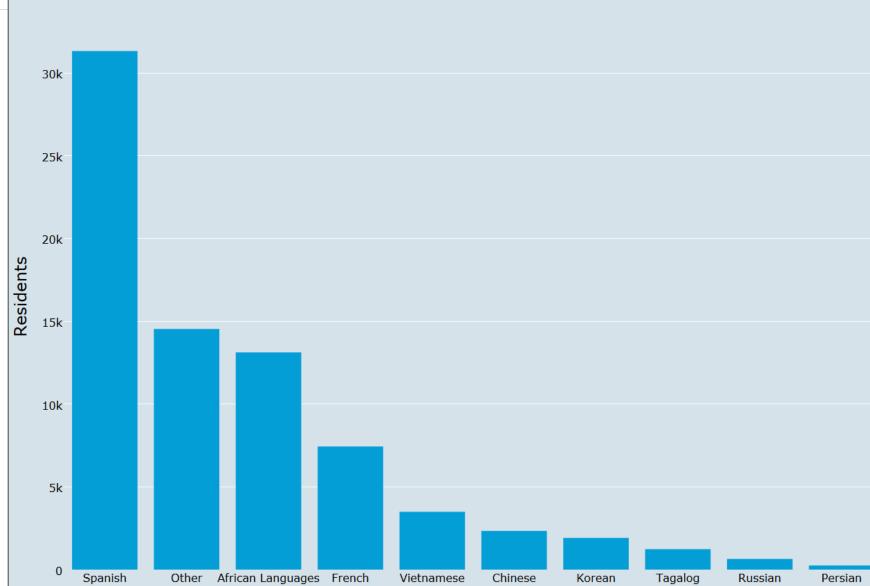
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Top 5 Languages: 5. Korean

Korean rounds out the top 5 non-English languages. Around 13,000 County residents speak Korean at home (or about 1.5% of all County residents).

District 5 - Hucker: Foreign Languages Spoken at Home

APPENDIX:
FULL PAGE "DOT" MAP

2010 Census Block Data

1 Dot = 1 Person

- White
- Black
- Asian
- Hispanic
- Other Race / Native American / Multi-racial